

ARMY ENVIRONMENTAL MISSION STATEMENT:

**“THE ARMY WILL DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT
COST-EFFECTIVE MEASURES TO PROTECT AND
SUSTAIN THE ENVIRONMENT IN SUPPORT OF
MILITARY OPERATIONS, INSTALLATION
MANAGEMENT, AND MATERIEL DEVELOPMENT.”**

(FM 3-100.4)



PRIMARY SOURCES OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

» FEDERAL LAWS

» STATE LAWS

» LOCAL LAWS

» HOST NATION





FEDERAL LAWS

THESE LAWS PROVIDE STATES
AND FEDERAL AGENCIES WITH A
LEGAL FRAMEWORK WITHIN
WHICH TO OPERATE.



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STATE LAWS

EACH STATE HAS ITS OWN REGULATORY ORGANIZATION CHARGED WITH DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS. MANY STATES PARALLEL FEDERAL ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS AND ARE OFTEN MORE STRINGENT.



LOCAL LAWS

LOCAL LAWS AND ORDINANCES
ADDRESS THE CONCERNS OF
THE LOCAL COMMUNITIES.

GENERALLY, THE
COMMUNITIES BASE THEIR
LAWS AND ORDINANCES ON
FEDERAL AND STATE LAWS.



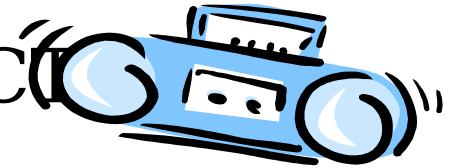
LAWS AND REGULATIONS

- CLEAN AIR ACT (CAA)
- CLEAN WATER ACT (CWA)
- ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT (ESA)
- FEDERAL FACILITIES COMPLIANCE ACT (FFCA)
- FEDERAL HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TRANSPORTATION LAW (FEDERAL HAZMAT LAW)

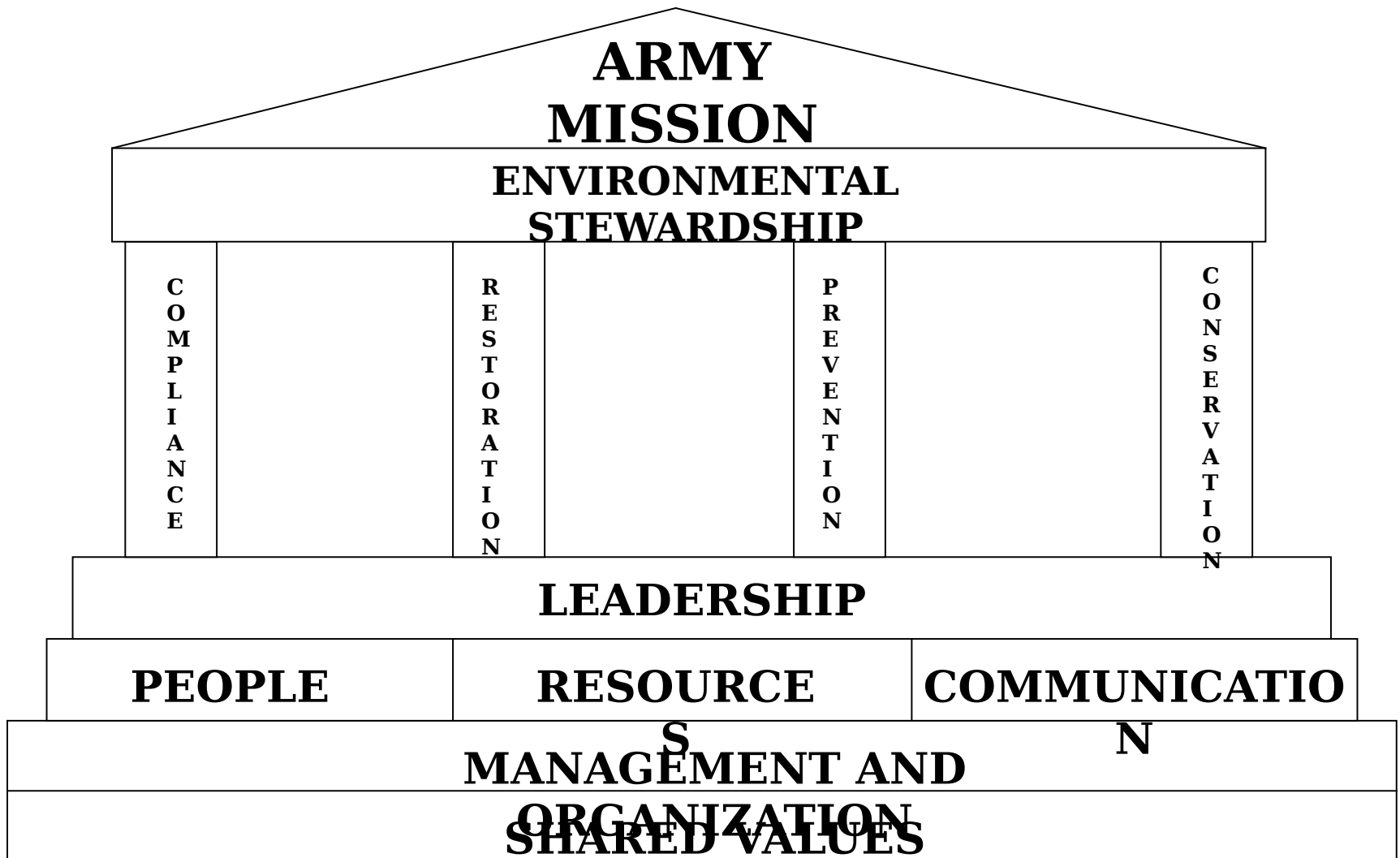


LAWS AND REGULATIONS, CONT

- NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT (NEPA)
- NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACT (NHPA)
- NOISE CONTROL ACT (NCA)
- RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT (RCRA)
- SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT



THE ARMY ENVIRONMENTAL STRATEGY MODEL



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